

What I claim is:

1. A handset comprising:
a display for displaying data in a horizontal array; and
key means for scrolling data on the display;
the key means having first and second projections which are mutually offset vertically and horizontally;
wherein:
depression of a first portion of the key means actuates the first projection to cause a first scrolling action; and
depression of a second portion of the key means actuates the second projection to cause a second scrolling action.
2. A handset as claimed in claim 1, wherein the first scrolling action is scrolling data in a first direction.
3. A handset as claimed in claim 2, wherein the second scrolling action is scrolling data in a second direction.
4. A handset as claimed in claim 3, wherein the second direction is opposite to the first.
5. A handset as claimed in any of claims 2 to 4, wherein the data is scrolled gradually.
6. A handset as claimed in claim 5, wherein the first scrolling action is shifting the data by one position on the display in the first direction.
7. A handset as claimed in claim 5 or 6, wherein the data comprises text.

8. A handset as claimed in claim 7, wherein scrolling of the data causes the leading character to disappear from the display and for a new lagging character to appear.
9. A handset as claimed in any of claims 1 to 4, wherein the data is scrolled abruptly.
10. A handset as claimed in claim 9, wherein the first scrolling action is replacing data on the display with new data.
11. A handset as claimed in claim 10, wherein the new data is a menu option.
12. A handset as claimed in claim 10, which provides a phone book function, wherein the first scrolling action replaces a first phone number on the display with a second phone number.
13. A handset as claimed in any preceding claim, wherein the data comprises a cursor.
14. A handset as claimed in claim 13, wherein the cursor is a highlighter.
15. A handset as claimed in claim 14, wherein the cursor is a line.
16. A handset as claimed in any preceding claim, wherein the key means is a single key.
17. A handset as claimed in any preceding claim, wherein the key means is adjacent the right hand portion of the display.
18. A handset as claimed in claim 17, wherein the first projection is to the right of the second projection and closer to the top of the handset.

19. A handset as claimed in any preceding claim, wherein the key means adjusts the volume of ringing tone.

20. A handset substantially as hereinbefore described with reference to and/or as illustrated in figure 2 or figure 12, with or without reference to any one or any combination of figures 2 to 11, 13 and 14 of the accompanying drawings.